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Amendment No. 1 to SB2456

Person, Curtis
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AMEND Senate Bill No. 2456*

House Bill No. 2504

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 5-7-105, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and by adding the following new subsection (b):

(b) Nothing in this section shall be construed as preventing or prohibiting a county that has constructed a criminal justice building or facility or that uses a building or facility that is not located within the limits of the county town from holding criminal court in such building or facility, provided it is located within the limits of the county. If such building or facility is used to hold criminal court, a defendant may be indicted, prosecuted, tried and convicted in such building or facility as if done at the courthouse.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 16-1-105, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and by adding the following new subsection (b):

(b) Nothing in this section shall be construed as preventing or prohibiting a county that has constructed a criminal justice building or facility or that uses a building or facility that is not located within the limits of the county seat from holding criminal court in such building or facility, provided it is located within the limits of the county. If such building or facility is used to hold criminal court, a defendant may be indicted, prosecuted, tried and convicted in such building or facility as if done at the courthouse.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.